

Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., Sept 4th, 1879.

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I have to advise you of the purchase on the 3^d instant of the following lots of Silver bullion for delivery at your Mint which you will please receive and pay for in Standard Silver dollars by draft on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York viz

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Moller & Davonport	10,000	"	"	112	" " "
Harvey & Cromie	10,000	"	"	112	" " "

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Very respectfully
Horatio Bruchard
Director

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